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18. [REDACTED] LIAISON Chuck Snodgrass, staff of the Defense Subcommittee of House Appropriations Committee, called to say he just received a call from Representative Jack Edwards (R., Ala.) who

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19. [REDACTED] LIAISON Jim Davidson, Counsel, Senate Government Operations Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, called and inquired as to whether the Director had accepted the invitation to testify before the Subcommittee on 3 October. I told him that a decision had not yet been made. He said he would tentatively schedule the Director to appear later in the morning on 3 October. Prior witnesses will be Senator Frank Church (D., Idaho), and Senator Howard Baker (R., Tenn.). Mr. Norsen of the ACLU, Representative James H. Scheuer (D., N.Y.), and Sam Dash, former Counsel of the Watergate Committee, are also scheduled to appear.

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20. [REDACTED] ADMINISTRATIVE DELIVERY Delivered to Joan Kunkel, Administrative Assistant to Representative William Lehman (D., Fla.), copies of the Director's press conference on 12 September 1975 concerning the handling of Agency classified information by the House Select Committee.

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21. [REDACTED] ADMINISTRATIVE DELIVERY Delivered to Senator Richard Stone (D., Fla.), a paper prepared by [REDACTED] OC25X1 listing the population statistics of Palestinians in Israel and Jews in Syria. The paper was prepared in connection with Stone's interest expressed during his briefing last week as to the reuniting of families between the two countries.

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22. [REDACTED] FOIA Delivered to George Armstrong, in the office of Representative John M. Ashbrook (R., Ohio), the Director's reply to Ashbrook's letter inquiring as to whether the recent amendments to the Freedom of Information Act have adversely affected the Agency and what amendments we might propose.

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27. [REDACTED] LIAISON Dorothy Fosdick, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, Senate Government Operations Committee, called on the status of the declassification of the 11 February 1975 transcript before the Arms Control Subcommittee of Senate Armed Services Committee, and I said I would let her know.

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28. [REDACTED]) LIAISON Called Les Janka, NSC staff, explaining that Mr. Colby was out of the city and that the word I had gotten was that the Executive Branch was not going to agree to any sanitization of the transcript of 11 February 1975 before the Arms Control Subcommittee of Senate Armed Services Committee and that I wanted to make sure that this had been thought through in the context of the existing similar issues between the Executive Branch and the Congress, i.e., the House Select Committee, the Subcommittee on Oversight & Investigations, House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, and that it would seem to be preferable to respond to Senator Jackson with the Executive Branch's requirements for deletions before the transcript is made public. I said that this might require someone external to the Agency to present, if necessary, the merits of exclusion on foreign policy or other grounds not related to intelligence sources and methods.

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